

**Government of Maharashtra**  
**Law and Judiciary Department**  
**Government Resolution No.: Meeting 2011/(249)/D-14**

Mantralaya, Madam Cama Road,  
Hutatma Rajguru Chowk, Mumbai 400032

Date: 11th October, 2013.

**Resolution**

The question of revising the rates of fees payable to the Panel Advocates in Group A, B, C & D for conducting cases, on behalf of Govt. of Maharashtra in the Supreme Court as prescribed by Maharashtra Law Officers (Appointment, Conditions of Service and Remuneration) Rules, 1984, (as amended by Government from time to time) was under consideration of Government.

Now, the Government is pleased to revise the rates of fees of the Panel Advocates in Group 'A'(I, II & III) , 'B', 'C' & 'D' as shown below:

Sr. No.	Designation of Advocates and Groups of Panel Advocates		Revised fees prescribed for appearance per day	
			Regular matters (Rs.)	Miscellaneous matters (Rs.)
1.	Group 'A' Advocate	A-I	75,000/-	25,000/-
		A-II	35,000/-	10,000/-
		A-III	7,500/-	3,500/-
2.	Group 'B' Advocate		2500/-	1000/-
3.	Group 'C' Advocate		1500/-	750/-
4.	Group 'D' Advocate		1000/-	500/-

1. These fees shall be for effective hearing on per day basis irrespective of the number of cases conducted by the Advocate on a particular day. In case, the Advocate appears in the Supreme Court on the date fixed for hearing of a case but the

case is adjourned for whatever reasons and there being no effective hearing on that day, then the Advocate shall be entitled to claim 50 percent of the fees prescribed above per day. If advocate obtains adjournment for the sake of his convenience, he shall not be entitled to any fees for that day.

2. The Expenditure involved in Account of revision of fees shall be debited to the budget head "Demand No.J-1, 2014-Administration of Justice (voted) (00)114-Legal Advisers and Counsels (00)(01) - Legal Advisers and Counsel, City Officers (28) professional and special services (2014 0 29 9)" and shall be met from the sanctioned grants.
3. This Resolution is being issued in supersession of the earlier Government Resolution, Law and Judiciary Department, No.DGP-2806/MS-129/(42)/XIV, dated 16<sup>th</sup> January, 2008.
4. This resolution is issued with the concurrence of the Finance Department, vide its unofficial reference No.518/13, dated 20.9.2013.
5. The revised rates of fees shall be applicable with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2013.
6. This Government resolution of Maharashtra Government is available at the website [www.maharashtra.gov.in](http://www.maharashtra.gov.in). Reference no. for this is 201310141648053112. This order has been signed digitally.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra.

**(V.L. Achliya)**

Principal Secretary & Remembrancer of Legal Affairs

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